

Faith Development Meeting

Date: April 8, 2014
 Convener: Kim Kobersmith, Chair
 Recorder: Ashley Cochrane
 Members Present: Kim Kobersmith, Debbonnaire Kovacs, Barb Taylor, Ashley Cochrane
 Members Absent: Chris MacKenzie, Grace MacKenzie, Alvera Perlman
 Next meeting: May 13
 Staff Present: Rachel Small Stokes,

<u>Subject</u>	<u>Decisions Made</u>	<u>Action Needed</u>	<u>By Whom</u>	<u>Follow-up Date</u>
<u>Devotional</u>	Poem and mission statement		Kim Kobersmith	
<u>Easter plans</u>	Rachel will purchase eggs and fillings. Leslie and Carrie will do music during Sunday School on Easter before egg hunt. Rachel will print out coloring sheets for after the egg hunt.	Rachel is purchasing eggs and fillings.	Rachel	
<u>Graduate recognition</u>	April 27 for college graduates. Gift: a magazine subscription? A book? Rachel is compiling a list of graduates. May 18 for recognizing high school graduates. Is Hamrick the only one? Something special for him. Thank you gifts for SS teachers? Plants?	Rachel is figuring out what to order for gifts for graduates and SS teachers.	Rachel	
<u>Last day of Sunday School</u>	May 18			
<u>Last day of Children's Church and Little Church</u>	April 27			
<u>Party for Sunday School teachers</u>	In June at Kent's. Date TBD			
<u>VBS</u>	Rachel ordered the curriculum for VBS: "Clean water for all God's children" from Living Waters for the World. It's a five-day curriculum that needs to be cut down.	Rachel will ask Carla if she has ideas for an adult class. Rachel will put a volunteer form	Rachel Kim	

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	<p>Dates for VBS are June 8 – 11. Should we offer an adult class? Ask Carla if she has any great idea?</p> <p>Talked about possibility of rain barrel at the church, or rain water garden (hands-on project). Needs more discussion, look at curriculum, and discussions with property people.</p>	<p>on the website. Kim will ask Jenny if she can lead programming for preschool. Rachel will ask Deborah Payne if she wants to lead anything about water (make a tippy tap?)</p>		
<u>Lenten Lunch</u>	Ours went well. The food was delicious. We had plenty. Thank you, Kim, for coordinating!			
<u>40 Days Opportunities for Lent</u>	Kim marked down how many people came to each offering. A receipt for one of the events needs to be reimbursed; we will take it out of curriculum.			
<u>Wild Goose Festival</u>	We are going to pay for a group to go. Last weekend in June.	Rachel will advertise how to register. She will put it in the bulletin.		
<u>First Aid Kits</u>	Purchasing them is in limbo because there might be funding for them through the Safe Haven program.			
<u>Lambert Fund</u>	Church Council asks if we can do without our percentage of the Lambert Funds this year, in order to help meet the budget.	We can do without the percentage. We could also send back two thousand dollars of the six thousand that has accumulated from past years in the Leadership Development Fund of Faith Development.		
<u>Budget challenges</u>	We discussed.			
<u>Next Meeting</u>	May 13, 2014, 6 PM to 7:30PM			